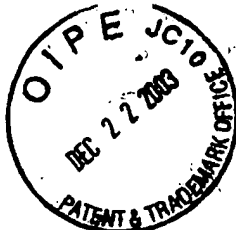


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Application No.: 09/995,452

Group No.: 1632

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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

- Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

## STATUS

- Applicant is a small entity.

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- The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for one month:

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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+	\$ 0.00	=	\$	0.00
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE							\$	0.00

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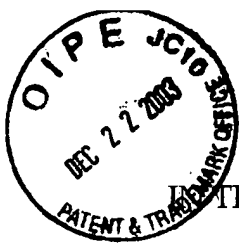
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RESPONSE B

Dear Sir:

The Applicant thanks the Examiner for the office action mailed August 28, 2003, and offers the following amendments, in accord with 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, and remarks as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2;

**Remarks** begin on page 9; and

Two references are appended with this paper.